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15. SUMMARY:

(U) IR forwards information on the continued terrorist action in Argentina. It includes (1) several recent incidents which occurred during the 25-27 Jul 75 time frame, (2) photos of some of these incidents and, (3) an example of the type propaganda used by the Montonero terror group in increasing their own forces. This IR specifically updates IR (b)(3):10 USC 424

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1. (U) In the continuing flow of terrorism in Argentina such as the 25 Jul terror acts in Buenos Aires (Note IR ) the following are further evidences not only of the degree of harm, but by virtue of location, also indicate the wide area the terrorists hit:

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REPLACES DA FORM 1048, 1 AUG 60, OPNAV FORM 3820 (Rev 10-61), AF FORM 112, JUL 61, WHICH MAY BE USED UNTIL 1 JAN 63.

4. Lomas de Zamora (3446S-5824W) 25 Jul 75

Terrorists identified as the as the "organizacion auto-proscripta" caused havoc when they attacked a patrol car. Although grave personal and material damage resulted (Note photo A), this attack was apparently set up as a distractor for at the same time in another zone left unguarded (patrol-men had gone to the aid of the attacked vehicle) a commercial shopping gallery was likewise attacked. ere terrorists vandalized especially by breaking store windows as shown in photo below.

Photo A:

A Clarin 26 Jul 75

Totalmente destruido resultó el automóvil policial que fue atacado en Lomas de Zamora. Los dos agentes que lo ocupaban sufrieron graves heridas.

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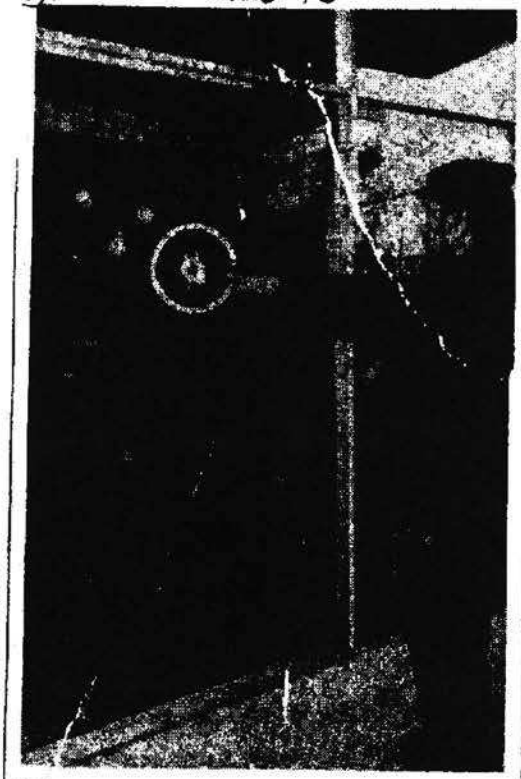
Photo B: B) Nacion 27 Jul 75



El impacto de bala en la vidriera de uno de los comercios atacados anteayer en Lomas de Zamora

B. Banfield (3445S-4724W) 28 Jul 75

Guerrillas stole parts to assemble 100 nine millimeter submachineguns and 150 cal. 7.65 rifles from the Halcon arms factory. In a lightning-quick and obviously well-rehearsed operation the guerrillas, who did not identify themselves with any particular group, took over the factory holding at gunpoint the watchman, about 40 workmen and an executive.

C. La Plata (3455S-5755W) 25-27 Jul 75

Activists who identified themselves as "Peronist Militias" staged a series of synchrorized bombing attacks here and in the suburbs of Gonnet and Berisso. Targets included the Dean of the School of Sciences of the U. of BA (Neither the Dean nor family was at home.) as well as business and government representatives.

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D. La Lucilla (3025S-6101W) 25 Jul 75

Results of the 25 Jul 75 attack on the Banco de Galicia (See TR 6 604 0504 75) are shown in photo below.

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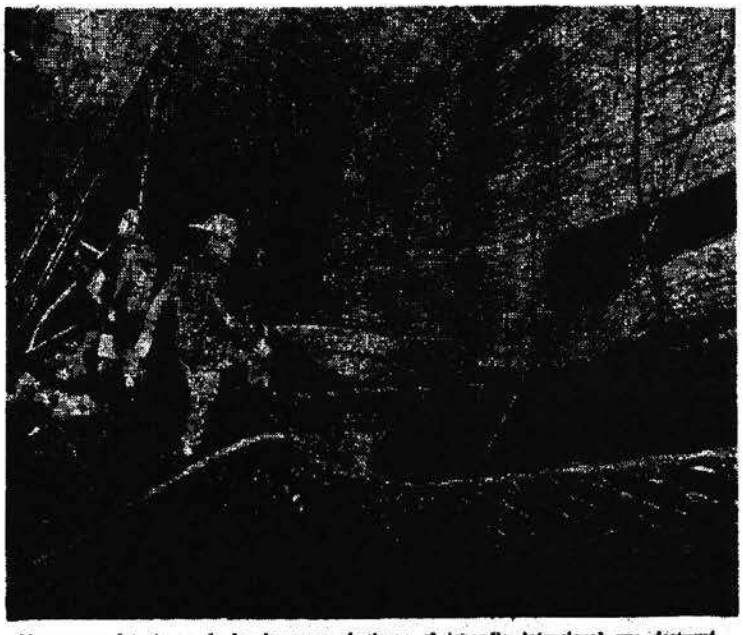
**La sucursal del Banco de Galicia, en La Lucila, totalmente destruida**

D. Tigre (3425S-5834W) 25 Jul 75

Total losses resulted at the Reconquista boat yard, the largest in the Tigre Basin, which was the target of terrorist bombs and fires. Damage to over some 700 yachts stored there was estimated in the millions (US).



**Numerosas dotaciones de bomberos combatieron el incendio intencional que destruyó totalmente una guardería de lanchas en el Tigre. El techo del galpón cayó sobre diversas embarcaciones**

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F. Bahia Blanca (3843S6217W) 25-27 Jul 75

Extensive material damage resulted when terrorists hit local Fiat and Mercedes Benz dealers. Extensive window breaking occurred first and then the businesses were bombed; at one business a truck on display was destroyed. Damage was estimated between 7 to 10 million old pesos.

G. Buenos Aires (3436S-6644W) 25 Jul 75

Shortly after 20 hours on 25 Jul 75 two offices, located in different parts of city, of the local newspaper La Nacion were hit with molotov cocktails and rocks causing considerable damage as shown in the photo below. Terrorist damage was not limited to the exterior of the buildings as the offenders entered and destroyed some furniture. In both cases the damage was limited to materials or property.

Nacion 27 Jul 75

**Considerables daños en su frente y en el interior causó el atentado perpetrado contra la agencia Belgrano de LA NACION, ubicada en Juramento 2374. Un ataque similar se perpetró contra la agencia Avellaneda de este diario**

H. Buenos Aires (3436S-6644W) 25 Jul 75

Assumed terrorists are responsible for the 1900 hour interruption of traffic of the Presidente Uriburu Bridge causing great confusion and congestion of traffic. (While acts of this nature are in themselves not as serious as any of the above mentioned, it is included here to show the variety of the problems caused by the terrorists.)

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2. (U) Propaganda such as the following indicates the expressed motives and aims of the well organized Montoneros; of special note is the eighth paragraph which specifically stated that the Montonero Force will not give up their efforts against the present government which is (at least in their opinion) against the welfare of the common working man. In this communication they consider themselves an army against an enemy - the present Argentine Government. This Montonero Army is in search of volunteers to join its forces. It claims to be an untiring army and one that will fight to the end.

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# CONSTRUIR LAS MILICIAS DE EVITA!!

## COMPAÑEROS:

Una vez más los peronistas debemos rendir homenaje en la calle a nuestra eterna abanderada de los trabajadores, allí donde el Peronismo es fuerte y el enemigo débil.

Hemos sido estafados y manoseados por este gobierno defensor de patrones y oligarcas, de las multinacionales.

Pero no lograron destruir el [illegible] les presentó batalla con sus luchas en todas sus formas de expresión, en todas sus formas de militancia.

Por eso Isabel no se animó a salir el 27 de junio a la Plaza de Mayo.

Hoy en día se están peleando entre ellos por la "HERENCIA" que les queda.

Nosotros continuaremos la RESISTENCIA a este gobierno y no aceptaremos ningún gobierno que está contra los intereses de los trabajadores y el Pueblo, sólo apoyaremos e impulsaremos a un Gobierno surgido de la voluntad popular.

Para ello hemos aprendido que la mejor defensa de / nuestras conquistas es el PUEBLO ORGANIZADO, y nuestro mejor homenaje a nuestra querida compañera EVITA es hacer realidad las MILICIAS PERONISTAS que ella soñara.

Por todo ello, para garantizar la Unidad de nuestra fuerza en este proceso de liberación, convocamos a los Peronistas a la constitución del MOVIMIENTO PERONISTA AUTENTICO, en todas sus ramas.

COMPAÑEROS: a ganar la calle para construir las Milicias Peronistas.

EL PERONISMO AUTENTICO VUELVE

PERON O MUERTE

VIVA LA PATRIA

HASTA LA VICTORIA MI GENERAL!

**Montoneros**

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3 CMT 1. ([redacted]): As evidenced by the above incidents Argentina is prey to an organized guerrilla movement - an obviously powerful movement which has caused great havoc. Up to now at least the Argentine Government has not been successful in quelling the guerrillas although some successful anti-guerrilla efforts have been made (Note IR (b)(3):10 USC 424). A look at a map of Argentina, and especially the greater BA area. gives an idea of the effort and organization of the guerrilla forces who label themselves "Militas" against the present government.

4. CMT 2. ([redacted]): As the Government has had only minimal success countering guerrillas new initiatives by the Military may be necessary. Up until now however, the Military has not come to the fromt. It is interesting to note that so far all three forces have been very firm and very unified in their efforts not to take control. If the wave of worsenting terrorism continues greater military participation countering it could take the form of increased military action in police functions such as a military man holding position of Chief of Federal Police.

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